

The Vermont Phoenix.

TEN PAGES.

Announcements.
Mrs. E. B. Smith has resumed her class of music piano. Those wishing to take lessons on piano or organ apply at Elm street.
If your watch or clock is out of repair leave it at C. W. Sawyer's, opposite American House, Brattleboro, Vt.

Marcus Ward & Co.'s Royal Irish linen stationery at Clapp and Jones's.
Beautiful framed pictures at low prices.
CLAPP & JONES.

Waterman fountain pens the best. Full assortment at CLAPP & JONES.
Have your pictures framed at Clapp & Jones's.
Popular sheet music and books. Strings for all instruments and musical supplies at Clapp & Jones's.

Apples Wanted.
Cider and graded fruit, to be delivered at Brattleboro and Putney Stations, cash on delivery.
A. V. Kean, Putney, Vt.

Miss Parks Private School.
For all ages, 18 Chapin street. Prepares for public schools, business, or college. Half term begins Oct. 16.

Auctioneer.
G. P. MILLER, Guilford, Vt. Terms: \$10 per day, including book-keeper and 50 percent. Orders can be left with S. W. Edgett & Co., 21 Main street, Brattleboro, Vt.

WANTED—Outside rooms for the Valley Fair. Enquire at the Brooks House.

BRATTLEBORO.

Company I will give a dance at the armory the first night of the Valley Fair.

The Estey Organ company had an exhibit at the Greenfield fair. Charles Stewart had charge of it, and Prof. Cramer's playing showed the tones of the instruments.

The evening session of the Woman's club will be held with Mrs. Dinsmore on Chase street next Monday evening, when the program to be given this afternoon will be repeated.

The Ladies Mission circle of the Universalist church elected the following officers yesterday afternoon: President, Mrs. J. F. Newman; vice president, Mrs. J. F. Stearns; secretary, Mrs. W. D. Gilson; treasurer, Mrs. Chas. Keach.

The Kiepkoppe Indian Medicine company, who are occupying Grange hall for two weeks, will give a special matinee performance, with several special features, at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. The matinee is intended especially to interest the children.

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church, held Sept. 20, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. E. Beaman; 1st vice-president, Mrs. W. R. Giddis; 2d vice-president, Mrs. Brodie; recording secretary, Mrs. R. F. Lowe; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Brodie; treasurer, Mrs. E. Haskell; directors, Mrs. C. D. Smith, Mrs. C. P. Badet, Mrs. A. Stark.

James Leslie Elmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Elmer, went to Fort Ethan Allen Tuesday, and on Wednesday he enlisted as quartermaster sergeant of the 43d regiment of infantry which will start for the Philippines in two months. Mr. Elmer occupies the same position with the 43d regiment that he held with the Vermont regiment on its return from Chickamauga. He has had three years of experience in the regular army, enlisting in 1891. He spent the first two years as a captain in the 3d artillery and instructor in military science at Yale university, to whom Mr. Elmer was recommended by Gen. Peck and Gen. Estey. Mr. Elmer's term of enlistment is one year and ten months.

Company I held a competitive drill at the armory last evening to choose two corporals, and Ethan Heskock and Curtis Robinson were the successful candidates. Heskock was a member of the marine corps on the Indiana when Cervera's fleet was destroyed, and Robinson was with company A at Chickamauga. Both were corporals, and Robinson was promoted to sergeant. The list of non-commissioned officers now stands as follows: Acting first sergeant, Fred Duncklee; sergeants, Charles Davis, James Sullivan, George Whitney, A. V. D. Piper; quartermaster sergeant, Fred Robinson; corporals, Ernest Waterman, Walter Goodley, Ethan Heskock, Curtis Robinson. The new uniforms have been received, but they are not satisfactory and will be returned.

Program for Ordination and Installation of Rev. R. K. Marvin.

The ordination and installation of Rev. R. K. Marvin as pastor of the Universalist church will take place at 7:30 tonight. The program will be practically as follows:

Invocation by Rev. Dwight A. Ball of Williamsville.
Scripture lesson by Rev. Judson P. Marvin of Weymouth, Mass.
Prayer and act of ordination by Rev. A. J. Patterson, D. D., of Boston.
Right hand of fellowship by Rev. Albert Hamann of Brattleboro.
Welcome to Brattleboro by Rev. E. Q. S. Osgood of the Universalist church.
Charge to the people by Rev. F. E. Marble of the Baptist church.
Music will be furnished by the choir, assisted by Mr. Marriott of North Adams.

Death of Mrs. Eliza Sargent Dutton.
Mrs. Eliza Sargent Dutton, 93, widow of Stephen Dutton of Dummerston, died about 2 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Miss Caroline Dutton, on Oak street, after an illness of two years or more with the infirmities incident to old age. Funeral services will be held at the home at 3 o'clock tomorrow, Rev. R. K. Marvin, pastor of the Universalist church, officiating. The burial will be in the Prospect Hill cemetery in the lot where Mr. Dutton was buried.

Mrs. Dutton was one of 11 children of Calvin and Abigail (Miller) Sargent, and was born on the farm now owned by Madam Bailester Aug. 28, 1806. All of the family are now dead. Mrs. Dutton lived on the farm where she was born until her marriage to Mr. Dutton on Oct. 16, 1820, when she moved to Dummerston. Mr. Dutton kept the store in Dummerston Centre a year or more, and after that they lived on the old Dutton farm in Dummerston until the death of Mr. Dutton, which occurred Oct. 29, 1876.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutton had three children, Stephen L., whose home is in Dummerston, Caroline of Brattleboro, and Emeline, who was the wife of Col. H. E. Taylor. Since the death of her husband Mrs. Dutton has lived with her daughter. She was very active and intelligent and was thoroughly devoted to her home and family.

The Free library will be closed both afternoon and evening of the Valley Fair. Fred Neal will open the hotel in Chesterfield, recently bought by T. J. Heaphy, next Monday.

The Vermont Wheel club's first annual corn roast and dance will be held at the Brookside pavilion this evening.

Prof. A. R. Merriam will preach in the Congregational church next Sunday in the absence of Rev. H. K. Miles, who is attending the international Congregational council in Boston.

The electric chandeliers in the store of E. A. Starkey & Co. have been removed this week and a large number of incandescent lights have been put in, giving a more even distribution of light.

The White Mountain train which reached Brattleboro from the north at 1:45 P. M. will be discontinued on Saturday of next week. The Sunday newspaper train has already been discontinued.

C. D. Smith is raising up the house which he recently bought of Mrs. Warner Atwood and is repairing it extensively. Atwood will live at the home on Elm street. Aged and Disabled as soon as the addition to the home is completed.

The Daughters of the American Revolution packed a box of clothing at the home of Mrs. H. E. Bond Wednesday, which has been sent to the Porto Rican quarter. About \$500 money, collected by the members of the chapter, has also been sent.

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There will be a dance at Brookside Park next Tuesday evening.

A. G. Barnes drove over 30 head of cattle to Hinsdale Thursday.

The Sunset paper mill was shut down Wednesday on account of low water.

There was a meeting of the Bingham Chapter, No. 30, O. E. S., Tuesday evening.

A. W. Childs & Co. have adjusted the loss on W. H. Phillips's house by the fire last week at \$27.

Col. Thomas Hanson will again have charge of the dining department at the Valley Fair next week.

Friendship circle held a business meeting Tuesday afternoon, which was followed at 6 o'clock by an excellent supper.

The First Regiment band's 17th open-air concert will be given next Tuesday evening at the Brooks House balcony.

George Seney Stiles took a tally-ho party to Vernon Saturday night, where Landlord Pratt served one of his choice suppers.

Harvey Canedy had a narrow escape last week, some bricks falling from a chimney on Vinton block barely missing his head.

A. V. May's agency has sold for Harlan H. Howe his house on Horton place to T. J. B. Cudworth. Ralph Cudworth will occupy it.

The shooting season in New Hampshire opened Friday, Sept. 15, at which time the law was off on nearly all kinds of game found in the state.

Frederic L. Childs has resigned his position as janitor of the Congregational church to take effect Oct. 1. He will be succeeded by C. W. Berry. Mr. Childs is now motor-man on the street railroad.

First Lieutenant J. Harry Estey has resigned from company I, to accept an appointment as adjutant on the staff of his brother, Col. J. G. Estey. Col. Estey has appointed Dr. Geo. C. Burkeley of St. Albans major and regimental surgeon.

Make a memorandum to remember the "moving pictures" exhibition to be given at the Auditorium tomorrow evening.

The entertainment is the best of its class, and its patrons will help the work of the Woman's club, under whose auspices it is given.

The 4:30 boat train struck a cow near Williamstown Tuesday and the shock was so great that the baggage car was derailed and dragged some distance before the train could be stopped. The steps on both ends of the car were smashed and it was found necessary to sidetrack it.

The Dennis Rebekah held a memorial service Wednesday afternoon in the Odd Fellows hall. A paper appropriate to the occasion was read by Mrs. A. J. Currier, and several songs were rendered. Following this the ladies went to the cemetery and decorated the graves of deceased members.

A notable feature of the moving pictures exhibition to be given at the Auditorium tomorrow evening will be the realistic reproduction of an English foot ball game. The picture was secured by Mr. Howe in London, and shows the game just as it was played at Crystal Palace before a throng of 73,000 people.

Work on the electric railroad between Northampton and Amherst, Mass., is progressing rapidly and E. C. Crosby says it will be in operation by Nov. 15. The work of laying the track on the Northampton and Amherst road is being pushed on the bridge between Hadley and Northampton. There are 80 men on the job, and they are laying 1000 feet of track a day.

The Vermont State Sunday School association will hold the 30th annual meeting at Brattleboro Oct. 18, 19 and 20. Prof. H. M. Hamill will represent the international work. Mr. Moody will speak. Rev. Everett D. Burr of Boston will deliver an address on Wednesday evening. Chas. L. Evans of Boston will conduct the singing. A large delegation from all over the state is expected.

John Berrie, an old-time Brattleboro resident, has been in town this week, accompanied by his family, on their way to take a new position at Ogdensburg, N. Y. Mr. Berrie left here in 1884, having been for 15 years baker at the Vermont asylum.

From here he went to Middletown, Conn., where he was employed by the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and decided to arrange "An Evening with Mendelssohn." Prof. Cramer will talk about the great musician's life and his compositions. Two pianos, an organ and other musical instruments will be used in the entertainment, and the singing will be by chorus, quartet and solo singing. The entire evening will be devoted to the study of Mendelssohn. It is expected that this entertainment will be followed by others of a similar nature each devoted to a great composer.

One of the most enjoyable and profitable outings of the season was the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was the excursion Saturday to the ancient town of Deerfield, Mass. Over 40 persons went, and they are now wondering how they could have remained so long to ignore the historic interest of a town so beautiful and so accessible as is Deerfield. The visitors were received by Historian George Sheldon at the Academy Hall where they found many things of interest. The other places which they visited were the house of Miss Alice Baker, known as the "Prayer house," which was built in 1694, the old graveyard and the old Unitarian church. The hour for returning arrived much too soon for all who went.

The Cressey-Andrus wedding.

The rooms of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. McLane in Crosby block were handsomely decorated with pink and white draperies and clematis last Friday evening, on which occasion occurred the marriage of Mrs. McLane's brother, Fred Cressey, and Miss Andrus, two of Brattleboro's well known people. Only Mr. Cressey, immediate relatives were present, the friends of the couple not being "let in" to the secret because of the desire to have the wedding as quiet as possible on account of the illness of Mr. Cressey's father, H. C. Cressey.

Rev. Fred S. Walker of Wilmington performed the ceremony at 7:30 o'clock. The bride wore a blue traveling dress. Mr. and Mrs. Cressey went north on the 10:10 train, and their departure was marked by a shower of flowers. They have visited this week at the home of Mrs. Cressey's mother in Barre, and at St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville. After their return they will live in Crosby block.

Mrs. Cressey came to Brattleboro from West Berlin, near Montpelier, several years ago, and was formerly in the millinery department of Miss Belle H. Emerson's store, and for the past two seasons she has had a similar position in the store of Donnell & Davis. Mr. Cressey has lived in the Crosby block since 1884. He was employed for a time in Boston and was in New Haven, and for several years was a clerk in the clothing store of Starkey & Wellman and later in the furnishing goods store of E. A. Starkey & Co. He was manager of Barker & Co's clothing store in Wilmington a year, and since then he has been in the employ of A. W. Childs & Co. of Brattleboro, state agents for the Travelers Insurance company.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Cressey have many friends in Brattleboro who extend sincere congratulations.

The Barker-Howe wedding.

A quiet home wedding took place at 8 Thomas street at 10 o'clock yesterday forenoon when Miss Iva L. Howe, daughter of Mrs. Laura A. Howe, became the wife of Herbert A. Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Barker of South Main street. Only the members of the two families were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Howe and son of Barre. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. E. Marble, pastor of the Baptist church, the single service being used. The bride wore a brown traveling dress, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. Refreshments were served after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Barker received some handsome wedding gifts. Mr. Barker has been employed by the Estey Organ company for the past nine years. Mrs. Barker has been, for the past four years, an efficient compositor in The Phoenix office, where she had the confidence and esteem of her associates. Mr. and Mrs. Barker will begin housekeeping at 8 Thomas street.

A missionary meeting will be held at the Baptist church this evening.

John Bissette took possession Monday of the barber shop on Elm street which he recently bought of Geo. Danyew.

Friendship circle met Tuesday afternoon in Odd Fellows hall and decided to hold a sewing bee in the near future to sew for their brothers in the Odd Fellows Home at Ludlow.

George H. Thomas's team, while standing in front of Higgins's livery stable Wednesday morning, was frightened by an electric car and ran away, smashing the wagon somewhat.

The water motor which has recently been placed at the Baptist church station for pumping the organ Sunday for the first time. The result was very satisfactory. Prof. Cramer gave a short recital at the close of the service.

Mrs. F. H. Morse's millinery rooms on Elliot street are being improved. A steel ceiling has been put up by Thayer & Robb in the front room, and the room is being decorated by W. A. Morse. The other rooms have been prepared by Cyrus Ramsdell.

Of the nine persons who took the civil service examination a month ago for the positions of clerk and carrier six were successful for the position of clerk and two for carrier. Boyd has been appointed substitute carrier to succeed George Root.

The probate court has appointed Gertrude T. Schuller guardian of Roy E. Schuller, a minor, of Halifax. William Pickering of Newfane has been adjudged incompetent for the reason that he is unable to take care of his property. He has been removed to the Brattleboro retreat.

T. J. Heaphy announces elsewhere in this paper that he will open an office in Miller's confectionery store next Monday for the sale of mileage books. Mr. Heaphy has become such a successful salesman of these books that he has decided to open an office in the city to be a convenience to know where he or his agent may always be found. The office will be in charge of Miss Regina Heaphy.

Robert Mitchell accidentally discharged his revolver Sunday morning while cleaning the weapon, the bullet penetrating the window of the house on Elm street. The window was broken and the finger was not broken and consequently the wound is not serious. A few fragments of flying glass entered one of Mitchell's eyes but the particles were removed without injuring the optic.

Chairman George W. Hooker has appointed as his aide at the Dewey celebration in Montpelier the following Windham county men: J. J. Estey, H. E. Taylor, Wm. C. Holbrook, G. H. Bond and E. F. Carruthers of Brattleboro; John W. Flint, Wm. A. Hall, Carroll A. Moore and C. H. Robb of Bellows Falls; George A. Goulding and J. Henry Kidder of Wilmington; and E. W. Melendy of South Londonderry.

News was received here Saturday of the death in Leeds City, S. D., of Mrs. Harvey Edwards, widow of Harvey Edwards of this town. Mrs. Edwards, whose death took place Sunday, was a resident of Leeds for many years. She was about 10 years old and was living with her daughter at the time of her death. The burial was in Ulfex, Neb. She was step-mother of S. W. Edwards of this town.

The season at Pine Grove Springs hotel, which closed last week, was the most successful since the hotel was opened. The hotel was crowded for many weeks. The hotel was crowded for many weeks. The hotel was crowded for many weeks.

Miss Johanna Baker will go next Tuesday to Holyoke, and on the following day she will be bridesmaid at the wedding of her cousin, Mr. Baker, who will visit in Boston and Lawrence before returning.

Cornelius Billings, a former Brattleboro boy, has been spending a few days here with relatives. Mr. Billings is a graduate of the naval academy at Annapolis, and has a government position in Washington. He gave up his position last year to re-enter the naval service during the Spanish-American war.

CHURCH AND SOCIETY.

Unitarian church, Rev. E. Q. S. Osgood, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. Theme for next Sunday: "The Liberal Spirit."

Services in St. Michael's church on Sept. 24 (17th Sunday after Trinity), 9:30 A. M. 10:30 A. M., 7 P. M.; Sunday school and catechism 11:45 A. M.

First Baptist church, morning worship 10:30 A. M. Theme, "A Clean Heart." Bible school at noon. Christian Endeavor 7 P. M. Evening worship at 7 P. M. Topic, "The Still Hour."

Universalist church, Rev. Reingold K. Marvin, pastor. Morning service at 10:30 A. M. Subject of sermon, "Brotherhood in Christ." Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. Young People's Christian union at 7 P. M. All are welcome.

Services at the Adventist church next Sunday as usual. Prayer meeting 10:45, Sunday school at 12 M. At 2:30 the subject will be "Paul's Desire to Depart." Loyal Workers' prayer meeting at 6:30; preaching at 7:30. Subject, "Man's First Call" illustrated on the blackboard. The Thunberg sisters will sing. William Clarke of Pittsfield, Mass., will sing a week from Sunday.

With "A Country Merchant," to be seen at the Auditorium Sept. 27 and 28, Valley Fair, is a character actress of high attainments. Her portrayal of the old New England matron is a revelation and at once compels the recognition of her as an artist. None could imagine the old-fashioned Puritanical housewife to be a young woman, and by only a few summers removed from her home. Miss Bardi is a versatile actress and has played a great many responsible roles in almost every line, from leads to the most difficult character, besides having done a great deal of dancing.

To Extend Rural Delivery.

E. F. Hutchins, a special agent of rural delivery, was in town Monday to look over the route of the local carrier, established a year and a half ago, resulting in his decision to recommend to the department certain changes in the present route and such extensions north from the town line as would include delivery to a dozen more families, who, though residents of Dummerston, receive their mail through the Brattleboro post-office.

The carrier's compensation was a few months ago increased from the original \$300 to \$400 a year. Mr. Hutchins directed the carrier to notify the patrons to provide some sort of a receptacle for mail, to be located in places convenient for the carrier to reach.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. I, Frank J. Cheney, declare that he is the legal partner of the firm of J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of \$100 for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1899.

(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

J. C. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 70 cents.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PERSONAL.

Leon White is spending a few days in Boston.

Wilfred Fisher returned to Wesleyan college today.

Louis Knight is spending a vacation in Boston and Hartford.

Mrs. Katie Dowd of Worcester is visiting Mrs. Thomas Rouse.

Carrie Clark left Wednesday to resume her studies at Tufts college.

Misses Maud Carleton and Ella Stebbins spent Thursday in Springfield.

George Danyew and family left yesterday for their new home in Middlebury.

Mrs. Voeburg of Troy, N. Y., came Tuesday to visit at W. R. Geddies's.

Mrs. Lulu Horton Francis of Pittsburg is visiting her father, Frank Horton.

Miss Blanche Lawton of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. E. Barber.

Martin Austin, Jr., spent Sunday with his son, Dr. James C. Austin, in Spencer, Mass.

Mrs. Thomas Osborne of Worcester, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. M. Bodge.

Robert Aldrich and Louis Pettes leave next week for Baltimore, N. Y., to be guests of H. P. Smith and family at E. A. Starkey's.

Misses Katherine Galvin and Katie Hopkine returned Wednesday after spending two weeks in New York.

Paul Henkel leaves Tuesday for his second year's study at the Art Students' league in New York city.

Mrs. Albert Baldwin and daughter will return home today after spending two weeks or more in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed and family moved Saturday to Providence, R. I., where Mr. Reed has work.

Mrs. Herbert Tift of Pittsburg, Mass., was at C. L. Cobb's yesterday. She is now visiting in Putney Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tredway of Putney, who have been spending the summer at Shelter Island, are at H. M. Wood's.

Thomas Manning